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FOR MR ROBERT L WOYTYCH DIST DIR

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SUBJECT: ASYLUM REQUEST - ANTONIO MELENDEZ -FAMILIA

(A15 527 098)

REF: YOUR TELEGRAM DATED FEBRUARY 13, 1974

1. ON BASIS OF INFORMATION PROVIDED, MELENDEZ HAS NOT MADE VALID CLAIM FOR POLITICAL ASYLUM. HE HAS DOMINICAN PASS-PORT RENEWED IN OCTOBER, 1973. THIS INDICATES NO DOMINICAN POLITICAL INTEREST IN HIM. PAST ACTIVITIES ALSO DO NOT DEMONSTRATE ANYTHING OF NATURE THAT MIGHT LEAD TO POSSIBLE PERSECUTION. IN FACT PARTIDO REFORMISTA WAS PRESIDENT BALAGUER'S OWN PARTY.

2. UNLESS MR. MELENDEZ CAN PROVIDE MORE SUBSTANTIAL EVIDENCE TO SUPPORT HIS CLAIM, WE ARE UNABLE FROM THE INFORMATION THUS FAR SUBMITTED CONCLUDE THAT HE SHOULD BE EXEMPTED FROM REGULAR IMMIGRATION PROCEDURES ON THE GROUNDS THAT HE WOULD SUFFER PERSECUTION ON ACCOUNT OF RACE, RELIGION, NATIONALITY, POLITICAL OPINION, OR MEMBERSHIP IN UNCLASSIFIED

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A PARTICULAR SOCIAL GROUP SHOULD HE RETURN TO THE
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC. SHOULD MR. MELENDEZ PRESENT ADDITIONAL
INFORMATION WHICH TO THE SERVICE SEEMS TO REQUIRE FURTHER
REVIEW, WE WILL BE PLEASED TO GIVE FURTHER CONSIDERATION
TO THE CASE. KISSINGER

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